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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Status of White House Review of Agency Comments on

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Called Ken Lazarus, White House staff, and inquired as to the status of their review of the Agency's proposed comments to Chairman James Eastland (D., Miss.), Senate Judiciary Committee, commenting on [redacted]. Lazarus said he had not yet received Justice's proposed response and he wanted both ours and theirs when he talked to Senator Charles Mathias' (D., Md.) people, and the lawyers [redacted]. He said he would give us final clearance sometime next week. I noted the deadline posed by Chairman Eastland was up day after tomorrow and that the Director wants all congressional deadlines met. I urged Lazarus to give us clearance as soon as possible. He was aware that we had sent a copy of our proposed response to OMB at their request but confirmed that he personally was handling the coordination of this matter within the Executive and his word to me next week will clear our response for sending to the Committee.

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